



“Women Stepping Forward for Agriculture” Symposium

October 11 & 12, 2005

GranTree Inn
1325 N 7th Avenue
Bozeman, Montana

USDA, in conjunction with the Montana Agri-Women, Montana Farm Bureau Women, Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) and the Montana Cattlewomen, is sponsoring the fifth annual “Women Stepping Forward for Agriculture” symposium for women involved in the promotion of Montana’s agriculture. Issues affecting Montana’s rural agricultural communities, female operators and farm/ranch families will be identified and addressed. The symposium will also promote leadership development skills and further support women’s leadership roles within Montana’s agricultural communities.

REGISTRATION

Cost of registration is \$35 prior to September 13 and \$45 following September 13.

ROOM RESERVATIONS

A block of rooms has been reserved at the GranTree Inn. When making a room reservation refer to group number 803087. Room reservations may be made by calling 1-800-624-5865 and must be made by September 10 to ensure the group rate of \$60.00 + tax for a single room and \$69.00 + tax for a double room.

Additional motels in the area:

Holiday Inn, 5 Baxter Lane	406/587-4561
Days Inn, 1321 N 7th Avenue	406/587-5251
Comfort Inn, 1370 N 7th Avenue	406/587-2322
The Bozeman Inn, 1235 N 7th Avenue	406/587-3176

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For further information or to obtain a registration form, contact your local USDA Service Center, The Montana agriculture organizations listed above, or by logging on to the Montana FSA website at: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/mt>. You may also contact Heidi Brewer, FSA Public Affairs Specialist/Outreach Coordinator at 406/587-6905. Scholarships are available for those needing financial assistance to attend the symposium. Please contact one of the sources listed above to obtain an application.

WIFE will be holding their annual convention in conjunction with the symposium. For further information contact Barbara Broberg (406/336-2731)

Persons with disabilities who require accommodations to attend or participate in this symposium should contact Heidi Brewer at PO Box 670, Bozeman, MT 59771, by phone at 406/587-6905 or by e-mail at heidi.brewer@mt.usda.gov by September 15, 2005.